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This Amendment is responsive to the Final Official Action mailed August 1, 2008 (Paper No. 20080718), the date of response to which has been extended one month up to and including December 1, 2008, in view of the attached one-month extension of time petition and petition fee.

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